

Salem Free Public Library's Events

Salem Knitters- The knitting group meets on Thursdays from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, in the reading area of the Salem Free Public Library. The group meets weekly to work on their own projects or to contribute to the annual knitted goods sale to benefit the Friends of the Salem Library. Refreshments are served. You may just drop in, no registration required!

Salem Library Book Group- A new library- sponsored adult book group will meet on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m., facilitated by staff member, Sam Harfenist. The book for May 23 is *The Pearl Diver* by Jeff Talarigo and the June 27 selection is *The Great Gatsby* by F. Scott Fitzgerald. Registration is suggested by calling 860-859-1130, but walk-ins are welcome!

Connecticut Civilian Conservation Corps Camps: History, Memories & Legacy of the CCC- Wednesday, June 7, 2017 @ 6:00 p.m. PowerPoint presentation and book signing presented by historian and author, Martin Podskoch. Call 860-859-1130 to register. Limit 40. This program is suitable for teens and adults.

Nature Sketchbook Journaling- Saturday, June 10, 2017, 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., presented by Roxanne Steed. In this class, you will spend time outdoors sketching and painting from nature, using pencil, pen and watercolor. Roxanne will show you how to simplify what you see and teach basic drawing and quick, intuitive watercolor techniques. If it rains, the class will be held indoors. A materials list will be available prior to the class. The program is suitable for teens and adults. Limit 10. Call 860-859-1130 to register.

The Horseshoe Crab- Wednesday, July 19, 2017 @ 6:00 p.m. - This ancient sea creature has survived in the oceans for millions of years with its primitive design still intact! Join DPNC educator, Laura Craver Rogers, as she discusses the physical adaptations as well as the breeding & nesting habits of the horseshoe crab. Limit 40. For ages 10 to adult. Call 860-859-1130 to register.

Thru Hiking the Appalachian Trail—Wednesday, August 16, 2017 @ 6:00 p.m. Presented by Sam Ducharme, who hiked the Appalachian Trail from Springer Mountain, Georgia to Mt. Katahdin, Maine. Come join him as he takes you through the trail towns, over the mountains and through the backcountry. Limit 40. This program is suitable for teens and adults. Call 860-859-1130 to register.

CT Author Trail Presentation— Wednesday, September 6, 2017 @ 6:00 p.m. Hali Keeler and her team, Leslie Evans and David Rose, navigate Groton Bank's paranormal history in their book, "The Ghosts of Groton Bank." A hair-raising number of historic haunts—from sea captains who never returned home to soldiers who never left—exist in the half square mile called Groton Bank. Limit 40. Call 860-859-1130 to register.

Music Program: Hungrytown - Saturday, September 9, 2017 @ 2:00 p.m. Lyricist, Rebecca Hall and instrumentalist, Ken Anderson are the folk duo, Hungrytown. In the winter of 2003, the duo quit their boring desk jobs, moved to the green hills of Vermont, and decided to pursue a full-time career as touring musicians. This program is suitable for teens and adults. Call 860-859-1130 to register.